

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/555,586	First Named Inventor: Gan <i>et al</i>
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 26 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.